

<b>2007 Billing Rates for Comparable Texas Law Firms<sup>1</sup></b>		
	<b>Partner/Of Counsel</b>	<b>Associate</b>
<b>Andrews Kurth</b> 396 attorneys/Houston	\$ 400-\$ 795	\$ 210-\$ 460
<b>Gardere Wynne Sewell</b> 284 attorneys/Dallas	\$ 350-\$ 715	\$ 220-\$ 425
<b>Locke Liddell &amp; Sapp</b> (now Locke Lord Bissell Liddell) 421 attorneys/Dallas	\$ 375-\$ 900	\$ 190-\$ 390
<b>Strasburger &amp; Price</b> 178 attorneys/Dallas	\$ 225-\$ 560	\$ 200-\$ 395
<b>Thompson &amp; Knight</b> 414 attorneys/Dallas	\$ 370-\$ 730	\$ 205-\$ 370
<b>Winstead</b> 306 attorneys/Dallas	\$ 345-\$ 620	\$ 180-\$ 360
<b>Overall Average Range Rates</b> Among Listed Firms	\$ 344-\$ 720	\$ 200-\$ 400
<b>Porter &amp; Hedges</b> Rates Charged to HDMS 2015–2017	\$ 600	\$ 250–\$425

<sup>1</sup> Chart prepared by Mr. Kenneth Moscaret, a fee consultant and expert witness on the reasonableness of legal fees and the propriety of attorney billing practices, relying on December 2007 survey of the *National Law Journal*. This chart was used in *Desert Rock* to support a plaintiff's "fee request by citing to the table detailing the average billing rates for Houston's large firms in 2007 that [this Court] relied on in its opinion in *Newby v. Enron Corp. (In re Enron Corp. Sec.)*, 586 F. Supp. 2d 732, 780 (S.D. Tex. 2008)." Based on this chart and the declaration of its attorney-in-charge, the court found that the Plaintiffs had met their burden of demonstrating that their hourly rates were reasonable.